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All Wheat Stocks Stored in Northwest Region Down 7 Percent from Last Year.

All wheat stored in all positions on September 1, 2015 totaled 64.1 million bushels in Idaho, down from 83.1 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 24 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 21 percent compared to the previous year. In Oregon, wheat stored in all positions totaled 35.5 million bushels, down from 41.3 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 1 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 46 percent compared to the previous year. In Washington, wheat stored in all positions totaled 125 million bushels, up from 118 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 8 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 11 percent compared to the previous year. Nationally, wheat stored in all positions totaled 2.09 billion bushels, up from 1.91 billion bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 21 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 9 percent compared to the previous year.

Barley stocks in all positions on September 1, 2015 totaled 48.1 million bushels in Idaho, up from 43.3 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 2 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 20 percent compared to the previous year. In Oregon, barley stored in all positions totaled 1.74 million bushels, up from 1.48 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 26 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 11 percent compared to the previous year. In Washington, barley stored in all positions totaled 5.44 million bushels, down from 6.20 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 1 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 50 percent compared to the previous year. Nationally, barley stored in all positions totaled 219 million bushels, up from 180 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 1 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 39 percent compared to the previous year.

Oats stored in off-farm locations on September 1, 2015 totaled 138,000 bushels in Idaho, down from 177,000 bushels a year ago. In Oregon, oats stored in off-farm locations totaled 535,000 bushels, up from 346,000 bushels a year ago. In Washington, oats stored in off-farm locations totaled 56,000 bushels, up from 53,000 bushels a year ago. Nationally, oats stored in all positions totaled 93.3 million bushels, up from 74.3 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 40 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 14 percent compared to the previous year.

Corn stored in off-farm locations on September 1, 2015, in Idaho, totaled 2.94 million bushels. In Washington, corn stored in off-farm locations totaled 6.77 million bushels, up from 5.43 million bushels a year ago. Nationally, corn stored in all positions totaled 1.73 billion bushels, up from 1.23 billion bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 48 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 28 percent compared to the previous year.

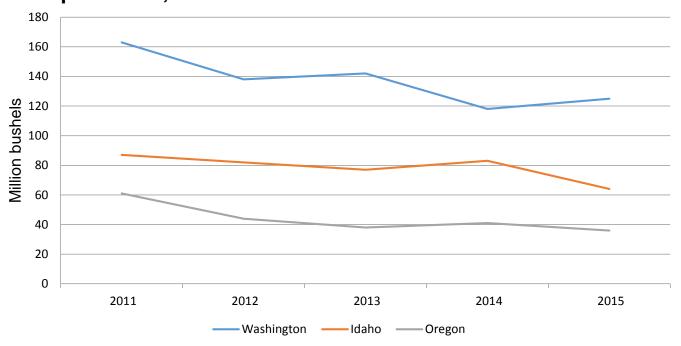
Grain Stocks by Position — Idaho, Oregon, Washington, and United States: September 1, 2014, June 1, 2015 and September 1, 2015

	Idaho			Oregon		
Date	On farms	Off farms 1	Total all positions	On farms	Off farms ¹	Total all positions
	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
All Wheat September 1, 2014 June 1, 2015 September 1, 2015	33,000	50,068	83,068	13,000	28,316	41,316
	5,500	12,685	18,185	1,300	10,688	11,988
	26,000	38,124	64,124	7,000	28,539	35,539
Barley September 1, 2014 June 1, 2015 September 1, 2015	25,000	18,349	43,349	900	582	1,482
	4,800	9,609	14,409	50	289	339
	30,000	18,058	48,058	1,000	735	1,735
Oats September 1, 2014 June 1, 2015 September 1, 2015	(D)	177	(D)	(D)	346	(D)
	(D)	78	(D)	(D)	198	(D)
	(D)	138	(D)	(D)	535	(D)
Corn September 1, 2014 June 1, 2015 September 1, 2015	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	(D)	3,759	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	(D)	2,937	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	Washington			United States		
	On farms	Off farms ¹	Total all positions	On farms	Off farms ¹	Total all positions
	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
All Wheat September 1, 2014 June 1, 2015 September 1, 2015	14,000	104,147	118,147	713,450	1,193,770	1,907,220
	1,400	37,227	38,627	155,170	598,102	753,272
	12,500	112,982	125,482	647,000	1,441,957	2,088,957
Barley September 1, 2014 June 1, 2015 September 1, 2015	1,600	4,603	6,203	97,820	81,997	179,817
	360	1,634	1,994	20,940	57,630	78,570
	800	4,637	5,437	135,590	82,925	218,515
Oats September 1, 2014 June 1, 2015 September 1, 2015	(D)	53	(D)	41,400	32,910	74,310
	(D)	91	(D)	15,120	38,625	53,745
	(D)	56	(D)	47,200	46,091	93,291
Corn September 1, 2014 June 1, 2015 September 1, 2015	(D)	5,430	(D)	462,000	769,904	1,231,904
	(D)	8,349	(D)	2,275,000	2,177,992	4,452,992
	(D)	6,772	(D)	593,000	1,138,310	1,731,310

⁽D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

¹ Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors.

Wheat Stocks - Washington, Idaho, and Oregon: September 1, 2011-2015



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